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In re Application of:  
 Peter Gilbert SHOTTON et al.  
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LATE SUBMISSION OF DECLARATION AND/OR TRANSLATION IN APPLICATION FILED UNDER 35 USC 371

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The present communication is in response to the "NOTICE OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 USC 371..." dated May 1, 2006. Attached hereto is/are:

An executed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 1.63, identifying the present application by title, PCT information and priority information.

An exact English language translation of the PCT application as originally filed.

Exact English language translation of the Annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report containing substitute pages \_\_\_ of the specification and new claims \_\_\_ to be used for examination.

A Preliminary Amendment  Fees are reduced due to elimination of claim multiple dependencies.

Copy of the "Sequence Listing" in computer readable form (CRF) and statement that contents of the CRF are the same as the paper copy.

An Information Disclosure Statement with 08A- 1449 and 4 references.

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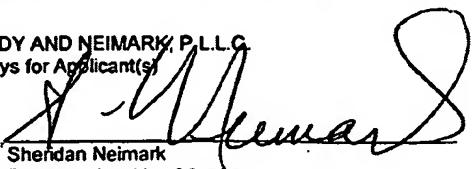
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